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Early Spring resses and Hats

Each express brings the new things. Styles for spring are beautifulthe newly arrived hats and dresses wearable

France. She has on board two casual companies of marines, the 125th field artillery regiment, headquarters brigade 1576 field artillery, two companies of army casuals and a score or more of officers, among whom is Brig. Gen. S. M. Foote, of the 185th brigade, and his staff.

The marine companies are made up of men from various companies of the 185th brigade, and his staff.

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WORK CONTINUED.

WINDNA, Miss., Jan. B. (Spl.)—The farm demonstration and home economias the first American troops sent to France. Practically all have been wounded and many wear two or three wounds stripes. They will be taken to the naval hospital at Nortok.

The Nederlanden was due in part several days ago, but engine trouble developed after she was several days.

ay to port.
The 125th regiment, field artillery, as bil as the 163d brigade headquarters, a composed of men chiefly from Min-

AS LINER COMES IN

The 327th casual company composed of men chiefly from Minlessota.

The 327th casual company composed of men wirginia, West virginia, Maryland and North and South
Carolina, in command of Lieut. J. O.
Grubb, of Chicago, and Lieut. A. H.
Johnson, of Bellaire, Md., paraded today after landing.

Troops.

Newport News. Va. Jan. 9—
With lights ablaze, bands playing and
nearly 3,000 soldiers and sailors lining.

All of the men from the battleships
Kursian and Chorgisi, which docked
early in the day, were debarked yesterand of the United States, is helping
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With lights ablaze, bands playing and nearly 3,000 soldiers and sailors lining her rails cheering, the big army transport Koningen der Nederlanden steamed into port last night from Bordeaux.

France. She has on board two casual companies of marines, the 125th field artillery regiment, headquarters brigade 165d field artillery, two companies of army casuals and a score of more of officers, among whom is firing. Get, S. M. Feete, of the 162d brigade, and his staff.

The marine companies are made up of

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Memphis, Tenn.

Boris A. Bakhmeteff, Russian ambassador to the United States, is helping
to foster a counter-revolution designed
to restore the old autocratic regime,
were made here by Alexander Brailovsky, editor of the Workman and Peasant, at the convention of delegates representing Russian workingmen in the
United States. As proof of his assertion, Brailovsky declared M. Bakhmeteff, who is now in Paris to attend the
peace conference, has had printed here
Russian banknotes in the amount of
\$5,000,000 rubles.

We can prove the authenticity of
these statements at any time." Brailsysky declared. Those bottes have
been printed in demonipations of 25
and 100 rubles and have been circulated
by Bakhmeteff both here and aboard for
the purpose of defeating the present

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The editor also asserted Russian thinotes are being printed by the ritish and Japanese for circulation in as territory occupied by their troops, us forcing upon the new government Russia a loan which it slid not itself

sonfront it

A resolution was adopted calling upon he allies to return immediately all hips now in their famile which forserly flew the Russian flag. This step thould be taken it was said to produce transportation facilities for the housed of Russians in this country che wast to an home are soon as a diable greetment it eastwished. The ould best he accomplished, speakers to used by recognition of the Boish voils solvets.

GOES TO BIRMINGHAM.

JONESHORO, Ark. Jan 9 (Spl.)— Dr. J. R. Hobbs, paster of the First Bantist church in this city, has re-signed to take charge of the pasterate of the First Bantist church in Birming-

V The Dead V

Miss Allie Fare Smith. DYERSBURG, Tenn., Jan 2. (Splingra Allie Fare Smith, 42 died at her residence here Monday. She is survived by a husband and six children Funeral services were conducted by the Rev. E. S. Baker Tuesday afternoon, with interment at Fairview cemetery.

Arthur Brister.

WIONA, Miss., Jan. 2 (Spl.)—The body of Arthur Brister was brought here from Camp McLelland, Gs., and interred in Oakwood cemetery. Rev. J. C. McMullen, of the Presbyterian church, conducted the services.

W. W. McKnight. WINONA, Miss., Jan. 2. (Spl.)—by W. W. McKnight is dead at his hom in Stewart of pneumonia, after a shar illness. His body was intered in Mil-ligan Springs cometery.

Sister M. Petrie.

JONESBORO, Ark. Jan. 3 (Spil—Sister M. Petrie, a nurse at St. Bernard's hospital, died of inflenza contracted while attending numerous cases of the disease. Interment will take place from the convent chapel temorrow.

G. G. Fox. JONESBORO, Ark., Jan 9. (Spl.)—G. G. Fox died at Albuquerque. New Mexico yesterday. Interment will be made in Jonesboro Thursday. He was 40 years old and is survived by his widow.

Woman's Division of Farm Bureau Gains Wide Recognition for Its Remarkable Results During 1918.

29,812 CITY PLOTS

BLOSSOMED AND BORE Not Only Was Gospel of the Soil Preached Incessantly, But Community Endeavors Were Made Successful.

BY E. P. MACNICOL w municipal distinction, nation scope, has been acquired by the Memphis—The Garden City outh."

city of Memphia—The Garden City of the South."

From records of the women's division, bureau of farm development, just made public, backyard gardens to the number of 22,812 blossomed and bore within the confines of Shelby county last year, and today many a family accustomed to subsist through the winter on the contents of variously branded tinned commodities are experiencing, for the first time, the joys of home-grown, home-preserved, home-prepared vegetables and fruits. Further, hundreds of dozens of eggs laid away in water-glass by the thrifty housewife under the direction and stimulus of the woman's division campaigners are daily being raided with the most gratifying results. It's a great thing when a community which has for years recognized the daily which has for years recognized the half the vegotable peddler is, in fact, a luxury, a convenient method of "letting George do it." The only doctrine of the soil the average city dweller was familiar with was that evidenced in the huckster's cart, and it required is great deal of patience and numerous campaigns of education, as the woman's division will attest, to convert the sevices.

Here's the Record.

Here, in brief, is a record for the rear of the major activities of the livision, under the direction of Mrs. T Kelley, assisted by the Federation of cent-Teacher association assisted in the plowing of 10,712 garpiots. stituted 29,812 gardens, of which

so were placed on vacant properties which before never grew anything but weeds.

Created an army of field workers among the school children in the advanced grades 4,000 strong.

Placed on exhibition in the garden display at the Tri-State fair 5,132 jars of home-grown and home-canned fruits and vegetables, covering 164 varieties.

These are just a few of the big things the division accomplished, but they were so thorough, so far-reaching in effect, so successful from a standpoint of results that the government's attention was attracted. Today the bureau is being operated with assistance of the department of agriculture and its permanence is assured.

Starting with a campaign of publicity through personal surveys, fourminute talks, newspapers and addresses throughout the county the gospel of the back yard was so effectively advertised that before summer had arrived Memphis had become a vast truck garden.

Did you ever make a garden No. You've missed something. When you have raked and dug and planted until your back rearly broke and you began to wonder whether the effort really was worth the end. If, one day, you suddenly noticed a lowly bean struggling in its bent, upside-down fashion, to break through and prove to you that it agrand an giarlous feelin?

City Fortunate. 0 were placed on vacant properties ch before never grew anything but

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with your own hands. "Oh, boy! Wasn't it a grand an glerlous feelin?"

City Fortunate.

Many Memphians experienced that pleasure liest year for the first time in their lives, all because Memphis was fortunate enough to have a woman's division in the bureau of farm development. It is not, after all, surprising, when one stops to analyze the situation, that Memphis, for its size, should have led the entire country in garden work. Workers in the woman's division were so everlastingly, uncensingly on the job, early and late, that success was almost an absolute certainty. They went into the highways and byways with their message of the soil. They not only supervised plowing and planting, but incitived community clubs for the production of poulity, eggs, butter, milk, etc. They gave numerous demonstrations in the cooking of "substitutes, and established a Hoover kitchen for rubble class work. They explained and demonstrated the art of fruit and vegetable canning and on the side conducted an employment bureau for women, which has since beer taken over by the government, and which has obtained employment for nearly 2,000. They organised, under the personal direction of the head of the department, eleven negro partent-teacher associations with committies similar to those of the federation. They distributed 3,000 pamphiets on garden preparation and gave four-minute takes before every organized body of both men and women in the city. And if that was not enough they gave personal attention to several thousand callers at the office.

There is no way to even approach an estimate on the commercial value of the vast production of perishables in the local cover only those with which the division was identified, they do not take into consideration the counters hundreds of other gardens which have annually been planted in Memphis and Sheiby county for a decade or more. They do indicate, however, the measure of success that has crowed the division has established in one of which to shall existed to the proud. It was just another i

This year even greater activities are planned for the local territory. They include an experiment station for city back rards to be operated by 50 select the from the Nineteenth Century club, which had an active part in man influenth. Viewed from any angle you wish one impressed with the fact that if you want anything done don't leave it to theorge, leave it to Georgia. In other words, let the women do it and it will be done well.

WHITE LEVEE HOLDING.

William P. Ank. Jan. 8. (Spl.)

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include the past full months and many setthers are taking homes in the bottoms.

Cache river, while if has been very
high, has done to tanker to the farms
and is now falling and will be in its

banks in a few more days, barring

other rains.

Spanish Influenza can be prevented easier than it can be cured.

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TWO INJURED AS SLED CRASHES INTO SIDEWALK

BRISTOL, Tenn., Jan. 9. (Spl.)-Miss Cecilia Devins, a young school teacher, of this city, and Carl Walker were seriously injured while coasting on Fast State street yesterday when their steds plunged into the sidewalk, hurting both to the sidewalk. Walker sustained a practured skull.

FANNING DATE CHANGED. BLUE MOUNTAIN. Miss. Jan. 9. (Spl.)—Dr. W. T. Lowrey announces that Cecil Fanning, the great American baritone, who was schaduled to sing here on Wednesday evening. Jan. 8, will appear here on Saturday evening. Jan 11, the change in the date having been made necessary on account of the liness of the singer's pianist. Cecil Fanning will sing in the assembly hall of Blue Mountain college, this being his second or third engagement here.

DIRECTORS ELECTED.

BRISTOL, Tenn. Jan. 2. (Spl.)—At the annual meeting of the stock-holders of the Bluff City bank, the following directors were elected: Frank Lilly, of Bristol, canhier: Carl White, assistant cashier, W. D. Lyon, president, and J. B. Wolfe, vice-president



News of Rivers

River Bulletin. Memphis, Tenn., Jan. 9, 1919. Memphis, Tenn., Jan. 8, 1919. Observations taken at 7 a.m., 75th peridian time.

Flood Rain-Stage, Hight Clig. fall. hattanooga ohnsonville adueah Davenport City Louis EMPHIS . ckeburg hreveport ... ew Orleans

xindicates river is frozen. *Rise. —Fail. River Forecast.

The river in the Memphis district will rise during the next six days. At Memphis the maximum stage will be Arrivals. The Kate Adams arrived late Wednesday with a good cargo from Rosedale. Miss.
The Idlewild brought a good load from Coahoma, Tenn., late Wednesday

The mail tug Ossining is due in Thursday from Osceola, Ark.

Donartures Departures. Kate Adams will leave at a date. Miss.
The steamer Idlewild backed out at

o clock Thursday morning for its reg-ular trip up river to Pecan Point. The isrry Lee will leave port Fri-day morning at 8:30 cclock for Friar Foint.

The regular trip of the Grand to Mhoon's Landing will be made Friday at 2 p.m. at 2 p.m.
The Eclipse, headed for Ashport, will depart at 8:30 o'clock Friday morning. The regular trip of the Whisper to Oscoola will start Friday afternoon at 5 o'clock.

Driftwood.

Sea gulls have arrived in the local harbor on their annual winter trip. Practically all of the mud island in the harbor is covered with water and much driftwood is dragging on the sands. The leves Thursday is covered with

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groceries, teams and sundries going up and down river Friday on the regular packets.

Lee which covered the cobblestones during the recent cold weather has melted, affording a foothold to horses and miles.

BONDS PLEDGED.

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BRISTOL, Tenn. Jan. 9. (Spl.)—
The Sullivan county court has passed a resolution pledging itself to issue bonds amounting to \$25,000 to aid in the construction of the county's section of the road from South Ford bridge to the North Carolina line, near Trade, Tenn. This proposed road when completed will directly connect Sullivan with Johnson county, and Ashe and Wautauga countles, North Carolina, and will open a through road to Florida

POLICE FORCE NAMED.

GREENWOOD Miss., Jan 9. (Spl.)—
C. L. Ronner again has been appointed chief of police by the board of city commissioners. Tom Chapman, who has been a member of the police force for some time, was made assistant chief of police. Policemen who have been serving on the force and who will remain are F. A. Word, Jr., J. J. Bryant and J. L. Lary. Leon Bridges was appointed chief of the fire department. No change was made by the new board in the selection of the appointive officers.

The following is announced as corrections in the schedule of the steamer idlewild: Ot. Tuesdays and Saturdays the vessel leaves at \$.39 a. m. for Seyppel, Ark., instead of Coahoma, Tenn On Monday and Wednesday at \$.20 a.m. the vessel leaves upstream for Pecan Point, Ark.

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